Public Notice - Environmental Permit

PURPOSE OF NOTICE: To seek public comment on a draft permit from the Department of Environmental Quality regarding a closed sanitary landfill in Roanoke County, Virginia, and provide procedures for requesting a public hearing.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: July 15, 2013 to August 15, 2013

PERMIT NAME AND NUMBER: Roanoke Regional (Rutrough Road) Landfill, SWP165

PERMIT APPLICANT: Roanoke Valley Resource Authority

FACILITY NAME AND LOCATION: Closed Roanoke Regional Sanitary Landfill, 3442 Rutrough Road, Roanoke County, Virginia.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Roanoke Valley Resource Authority has applied for a modification to a permit that allows the Roanoke Regional Landfill to maintain a closed landfill in Roanoke County, Virginia. This permit modification incorporates the Groundwater Corrective Action Program and updates the Landfill Gas Management Plan. The groundwater corrective action strategy for the site is monitored natural attenuation (MNA).

HOW TO COMMENT AND/OR REQUEST A PUBLIC HEARING: DEQ accepts comments and requests for public hearing by e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments and requests must be in writing and be received by DEQ during the comment period. Submittals must include the names, mailing addresses, and telephone numbers of the commenter/requester and of all persons represented by the commenter/requester. A request for public hearing should also include: 1) the reason why a public hearing is requested; 2) a brief, informal statement regarding the nature and extent of the interest of the requester or of those represented by the requestor, including how and to what extent such interest would be directly and adversely affected by the permit; 3) specific references, where possible, to terms and conditions of the permit with suggested revisions. DEQ may hold a public hearing, including another comment period, if public response is significant and there are substantial, disputed issues relevant to the permit.

Copies of the permit documents are also available at Roanoke Valley Resource Authority-Tinker Creek Transfer Station at 1020 Hollins Road in Roanoke, VA 24012.

CONTACT FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS, DOCUMENT REQUESTS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

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